



**One Stop Operations/WorkFirst Collaborative Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
September 24, 2015**

County of Middlesex- Office of Workforce Development  
550 Jersey Avenue, New Brunswick, NJ 08901  
WIA Conference Room B — 1:30 PM

**Attendees:** Mariana Beshai-Ascander, Baden Almonor, Roseann Bucciarelli, Thomas Crane, Sharon Crossland, Ruth Cruz, Eric Diamond, Janice Fishbein, Patricia Foster, Jennifer Gietka, Sherri Goldberg, Michael Mattaliano, Luis Ortega, Roni Salkin, Linda Urbach, Jean Zwingli,

**Staff:** Kevin Kurdziel, Lori Miranda; Julie Piano, John Ross, Diane Seavers and Helina K. Wisniewski

Julie Piano called the meeting to order at 1:38 pm.

**Review and Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of the June 25, 2015 One Stop Operations Committee was presented. John Ross made a motion for the approval of the minutes. Baden Almonor seconded and the minutes was unanimously approved.

**Update on Funding – Julie Piano**  
**Program Year 2014 & Program Year 2015**

**Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Update - Julie Piano**

**Literacy/ High School Equivalency – Thomas Crane (Tim Timberlake absent)**

**Work First NJ Update - John Ross/ Jean Zwingli**

**Re-structuring of the One Stop Operation/WorkFirst Collaborative Membership – Julie Piano/John Ross**

### **Update from Collaborative Members/ Other Business**

- Mariana Beshai-Ascauder
- Sherri Goldberg
- Eric Diamona
- Roni Salkin
- Thomas Crane
- Luis Ortega
- Janice Fishbein
- Sharon Crossland
- Patricia Foster
- Ruth Cruz
- Roseann Bucciarelli
- Linda Urbach
- Baden Almonor
- Michael Mattaliano
- Jennifer Gietka

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:35 PM.

The next One Stop Operations/WorkFirst Collaborative Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 3, 2015 at 1:35 pm.

### **Information/Handout Distributed to Members**

- Flyer – Jewish Family Services of Middlesex County
- Flyer – Perth Amboy Business Expo
- Flyer - South Brunswick Job Fair
- John Ross – WFNJ Report
- Julie Piano – WIOA Packet

**NEXT MEETING: Thursday, December 3, 2015  
550 Jersey Avenue, NJ 08901**